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Sir:

**REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

In response to the Office Action dated November 2, 2007, the period for response to which extends through February 4, 2008 (February 2<sup>nd</sup> being a Saturday), reconsideration is respectfully requested in view of the following remarks.